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What the Senators Said

In our editorial on Viet-Nam yesterday we inadvertently misquoted Senators Gore and McGee by attributing to them remarks about the American foreign aid program which they actually made about the land development program there. As quoted in the Scripps-Howard newspapers, Senator Gore did term the aid program in Viet-Nam "loose, confused and disorganized," but he centered his remarks about an "economic monstrosity" upon the land development program. Senator McGee disagreed with his colleague from the Foreign Relations Subcommittee and described the land development program as a "tremendous success story from which we and all free Asia can take heart." We apologize to the Senators for misconstruing the focus of their comments.